



SUPPORT INSPIRE THRIVE SIXTH FORM NEWSLETTER

Following on from the newsletter sent in January, here is the latest from Malton School's sixth form. If you did not receive a copy of the January newsletter, please take a look at it on our website www.maltonschool.org.

MOCK WEEK YEAR 13S..

Mocks for Year 13s start next week (week beginning Monday 5 March). A timetable is attached for your information. Pupils will be on study leave all week and will not be expected in lessons. It is vital your son/daughter utilises the feedback from their teachers to make further progress in the external examinations this summer. We wish them all the best. Linked to preparing for examinations, we will be sending assessment data from the mocks to you before the Easter break to talk through at home and aid the revision process. If you would like further guidance on what next steps to take, visit the website at;

<http://www.maltonschool.org/sixth-form/preparing-future-university-work/>

Also linking in with the examinations we are holding a Parent's Forum event on 'How to revise' for Year 11s/13s on Thursday 22 March at 7pm in West Wing Hall. You are most welcome to come along to get hints and tips on how best to get students revising, and ask any questions you might have.

ASSESSMENT ROUND DATA 2 FOR YEAR 12S...

Year 12s will also have assessment round 2 data around the same time. It will be important to identify any deterioration in grades, especially the 'A2L' (attention to learning grade relating to effort and proximity to target grades), and discuss at home what next steps are to be taken.

AMPLEFORTH COLLEGE CAREERS DAY! / CAREERS NEXT STEPS ...

Each year we take all year 12s to various careers events. In September students were all introduced to the university/apprenticeship sectors, visiting Elland Road, Leeds, for a day of advice on 'next steps', which proved very popular, we will continue to run this in future years. Each year we go to Ampleforth College for further careers advice too. Our visit this year will take place on Friday 9 March, we are looking forward to the day out! As well as visits to events students can always use 'unifrog' software to complete careers choices. We will shortly be sending you information how to log on and work with your son/daughter to track progress/be involved in the process. Watch this space! If anyone would like one-to-one careers mentoring please email me to arrange an appointment (bookings are being taken for after Easter onwards) my email is mnd@maltonschool.org.

POST 18 INFORMATION EVENING...

On Wednesday 25 April we are presenting a 'Post 18 information evening', starting at 7pm in West Wing Hall, which covers a range of topics; including, student finance, UCAS, apprenticeships and more!

OTHER DEVELOPMENTS... A NEW PARENTAL DATABASE!

If you have opportunities available to permit our sixth formers to undertake work experience/volunteering with you/your firm/employer, please email me and I will add you to a new database being established to promote additional take up of employment opportunities, whether paid or voluntary. If you could include your name, contact details including phone and email, and the name of the company, we will add you and be in touch soon after to discuss in more detail. Many thanks in advance if you are able to support our students.

CROWD-FUNDING VENTURE!

We have recently established a joint venture with the local Malton Methodist Church, using the expertise of our students to help the organisation undertake 'crowd-funding' and other schemes designed to generate funding for what will be a new community hub, including a café and library.

PHOTOS

These take place for Year 13s on Monday 12 March.

UCAS REMINDERS / OPPORTUNITIES...

Finally, may I take this opportunity to remind you UCAS offers should be responded to with a first choice/reserve being confirmed. Applicants are aware of this, and there will be further reminders in due course. Be aware UCAS still offer an 'Extra' service where students without offers can still make an application, and of course there is clearing post results in late August. In the meantime accommodation and finance should be being dealt with. If you require further assistance please do get in touch.

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